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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

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Filed: 12/28/2001

For: D-DAFO (DeRoss-Dynamic Ankle Foot Orthosis)

15 Hon. Commissioner of Patents
And Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In the response to the examiner's office action, filed March 1, 2003 (February 29 was a Sunday) with a petition for a 3 month extension of time; the applicant failed to include the corrected specification responsive to the office action for lack of antecedent basis for the claims,

pursuant to MPEP 608.01 (1), and instead inadvertantly forwarded a clean amended specification. The applicant has now forwarded a marked up version of the corrected specification and amended claims via telefax.

In addition, pursuant to and in compliance with rule 37 CFR 1.121 and MPEP 714.03 Rev 1; the applicant has reformatted the amendment to begin each section of the amendment on a separate page, included double spacing, and page numbers for reference by the examiner. No other changes have been made and no new matter was added to the

specification that was not originally disclosed in the original claims. -1-